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As a studio- and guest musician, he has contributed to several other CD productions and many

concerts, and he's 'gigged' with befriended musicians ('Finglas') until 2008. He has visited Ireland many years, and both his contribution to 'Irish Trad' and his affiliation

with Irish music and Celtic culture is much appreciated there.

Since 1983 he's been involved in the Antwerp music scene as participant and initiator of Irish sessions; and for 5 years, he was a whistle tutor for the Dutch Foundation of Folk music (SVN). He made a radio documentary for Dutch Radio (VPRO) about the Irish Bronze Age horns, as well

as one about Nehalennia, a local deity of Germano-Celtic origin.
Jules has also contributed to a documentairy on the bronze cauldrons of Brittany:
'Les Chaudrons de Bretagne', and he recorded the sounds of the last 4 Westerschelde ferries. With these unique recordings, the radiophonic composition 'Zwanezang op de Westerschelde' was made, which won First Prize at the Palmares Phonurgia Nova (Arles/France/2003).





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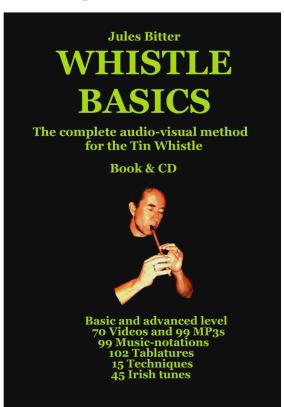
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For students who can not read music, there are 102 tablatures too, which are simplified music notations.

For those who want to learn music notation, there is also a chapter on elementary music theory. This chapter also gives info on measure/time and the rhythm patterns in all Irish tune types.

The last chapter has 24 extra Irish tunes from beginner to advanced level, with study advice and symbols for ornamentation.

The book also offers a lot of interesting background information on Irish traditional music: whistle history, whistle types, tune types, traditional musicians and their traditional instruments.

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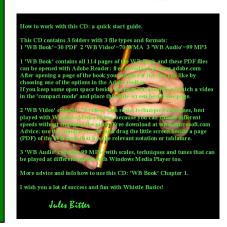
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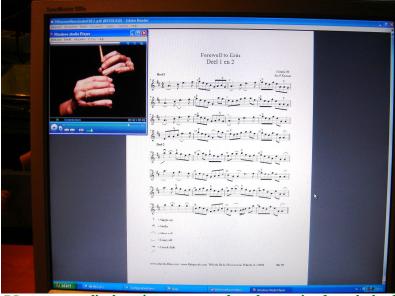
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Thank you for your interest in my musical activities.

Yours sincerery,

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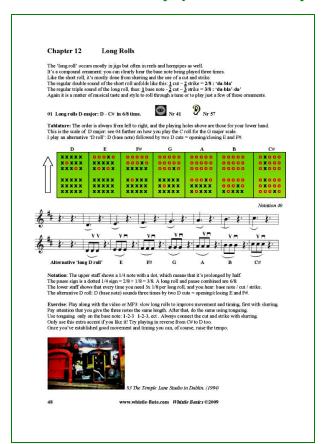
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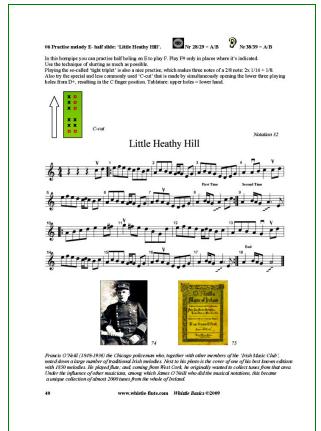
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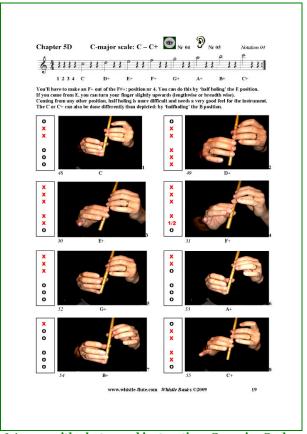
\*A page with tablatures and notation: how to play rolls



\* A page with a tune and the symbols for ornamentation



\* A page with photos and instruction: holding/blowing



\* A page with photos and instruction: C- major Scale

Some low resolution examples of 4 tunes from chapter 18: this chapter has 24 extra tunes with playing advice and symbols for ornamentation. In total Whistle Basics has 45 Irish tunes: from basic to advanced level.

#### Eleanor Plunkett



= Strike

= Rising slide

This is another melody composed by the blind harper Turloch O'Carolan (1670-1738). In chapter seven and eight, you have already learned to play two of his airs also called 'pieces': 'Blind Mary' and 'Keem O'Hara'.

Play calmly with as much slurring as possible, using cuts to seperate, and strikes to accentuate notes. There are several rising slides on the longer notes, so if you like, you can apply finger vibrato after the rising slide. Be sure to remain exactly within the length of that not.

#### The Fairie's Hornpipe



- Strike

tr - Short trill

- Short roll - Long roll

The legendary piper Seamus Eanis made many field recordings of traditional musicians and singers for Irish and English radio and collected numerous stories shout the 'little people' as well. During his per formances, Seamus likel etiling these old folkades to his surdiners. Before playing this particular tune, he usually introduced it with the following tale: a young musician had taken to drink and fallen askep alongside the banks of a forest, when he was awakened by the enchanting music of a fairy piper. In the ensuing conversation the fairy piper told the lad to go home and sleep it off until the tune would sound in his dream. So the musician returned home, and indeed, the next morning be could play this enchanting hornpipe. After the telling of what had happened to the village people, he naturally had to play the unfamiliar tune; and, because even the oldest villagers had never heard this tune before, they believed his tale to be true.

Here also it is best you learn the base melody by heart before starting to play the ornaments. By adding the cuts and the strikes, the melody will soon develope more character. And when you finally incorporate the rolls and the trills along with it, you might even get a visit by the fetries

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#### The Silver Spear



- Long crann □ - Strike

Depending on your level of aspiration you can attempt to work on several ornaments.

Also see this arrangement as a study exercise play and practise them all in a few study seesions and find out which you like most, and believe me, after some years of practising you will play and use these ornaments in a more intuitive way.

As you can see there is some variation: measure 1 and 5, 9 and 13. A lot of rolls too, and some cuts (E) and short trills (E) on the second beat of a measure. Just take your time to work them out. If you have difficulty with the timing, use MP3 Nr 95.

Long roll

Other versions of this well known session reel: played by Sean Potts and Paddy Moloney; LP/CD 'Thi Whistler' (Shanachie Rec, 79033) and a special version on ullieann pipes by Seamus Ennis: LP/CD 'Seamus Ennis / Fourty Years of Irish Piping', (Green Linner Rec. released on CD format)

#### The Swallow's Tail



- Short roll

- Long roll

This arrangement was played on whistle by Thomas Keenan on his brother first soloalbum: 'Paddy Keenan' (Gael Linn Rev. 1975 CEFCD 045).
The many long rolls and short rolls give this reel a special lift, and of course, there is a typically playfull 'Keenan variation'.

I have already precionsly mentioned my luck being able to see and hear 'Tommy' Keenan play in many sessions during the time he lived in Antwerp during the eightles of the last century.

The rolls are a special challenge, while attempting to maintain the pulse of the tune.

I like to play this tune in a set with the 4-part reel 'Farewell to Erin' which is the next and last tune.
I recorded this set of reeks with Philip Masure (guitan) for a CD entitled 'The Hilli of Women', a combination of
Irish poerty and traditional music. I made this CD with the Dublin singer-songwriter Tom Acton.
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33	44	The Limestone Rock A	Reel 4/4	Short rolls/Cuts/Strikes/Tight triplets	Watch / Immitate / Play along
34	44	The Limestone Rock B	Reel 4/4	Short rolls/Cuts/Strikes/Tight triplets	Watch / Immitate / Play along
35	45	Callaghan's Reel A	Reel 4/4	Short rolls/Cuts/Strikes/Tight triplets	Watch / Immitate / Play along
36	45	Callaghan's Reel B	Reel 4/4	Short rolls/Cuts/Strikes	Watch / Immitate / Play along
37	46	Bonnie Charlie A	March 2/4	Short rolls/Cuts/Strikes/Tight triplets	Watch / Immitate / Play along
38	46	Bonnie Charlie B	March 2/4	Short rolls/Cuts/Strikes/Tight triplets	Watch / Immitate / Play along
39 40	47 47	Scattery Island A	Single jig 6/8	Short rolls/Cuts/Strikes/Long rolls Short rolls/Cuts/Strikes/Long D-cranns	Watch / Immitate / Play along
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43	49	Long rolls D - B+	Exercise 6/8	Long rolls D - B+	Watch / Immitate / Play along
44	50	Long rolls G - F#+	Exercise 6/8	Long rolls G - F#+	Watch / Immitate / Play along
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46	50	Kid on the Mountain B	Slip jig 9/8	Long rolls/Cut/Strike	Watch / Immitate / Play along
47	51	Rambling Pitchfork A	Double jig 6/8	Long rolls/Cuts/Strikes	Watch / Immitate / Play along
48	51	Rambling Pitchfork B	Double jig 6/8	Long rolls/Cuts	Watch / Immitate / Play along
49	52	The Blackbird Nr1 A	Set dance 4/4	Long rolls/Cuts/Short rolls/Trills/T.triplets	Watch / Immitate / Play along
50	52	The Blackbird Nr1 B	Set dance 4/4	Long rolls/Cuts/Trills/T.triplets/Slide/Vibr.	Watch / Immitate / Play along
51	53	Farewell to Erin A	Reel 4/4	Long rolls/Short rolls/Cuts	Watch / Immitate / Play along
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53	55	Long D rolls & Long D cranns	Exercise 6/8	Long D rolls & Long D cranns	Watch / Immitate / Play along
54	56	Short D+ roll & Short D+ crann	Exercise 4/4	Short D+ rolls & Short D+ cranns	Watch / Immitate / Play along
55	56	Long D+ roll & Long D+ crann	Exercise 6/8	Long D+ rolls & Long D+ cranns	Watch / Immitate / Play along
56	56	Short D cranns	Exercise 4/4	Short D cranns	Watch / Immitate / Play along
57	56	Short D+ cranns	Exercise 4/4	Short D+ cranns	Watch / Immitate / Play along
58	57	Dublin Road A	Reel 4/4	Short D cranns/Cuts/Strikes	Watch / Immitate / Play along
59	57	Dublin Road B	Reel 4/4	Short D+ cranns/Cuts/Strikes/Sh.&Lo.rolls	Watch / Immitate / Play along
60	58	Long D cranns	Execise 6/8 3 tempi	Long D cranns	Watch / Immitate / Play along
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